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1. The People's Committee at Seoul is making a strict census and investigation starting on 5 July. The object apparently is to find families of South Korean soldiers, police, officials and others in order to punish them. Some former South Korean police attempting to leave the city were arrested by the North Korean military and shot on 2 July.
2. Since 1 July, youths between 18 and 35 have been conscripted for a Self-Defense Corps. The training includes Communist indoctrination.
3. Each large Soviet tank (UT-34) in the Seoul area had a crew of six men. The commander is a European Soviet or a Korean Soviet member of the Soviet army with the rank of first lieutenant. The other crew members are usually three Koreans who have served with the Chinese Communist army in Manchuria and two Koreans trained by the North Korean army.
4. In the Sobinggo area of Seoul on 5 July there were approximately 5000 infantry troops, 7000 cavalry troops, and 1500 horses. In the former American-Mission-in-Korea fire station compound two miles south of the railroad station there were a number of trucks and tanks. North Korean "MACCS" are billeted in the Han-mi (Korean-American) hotel.
5. Approximately 25 North Korean People's Army troops are attached to each police station at Seoul.
6. By 10 July, the North Korean military and para-military forces at Seoul numbered 300,000 North Korean People's Army troops, 200,000 Chinese Communist troops (in North Korean army uniforms), and 200,000 Soviet and Chinese volunteers.
7. In North Korea there are approximately 150,000 Soviet troops.

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8. Between 30 June and 3 July approximately 3900 North Korean troops were treated in Severence Hospital, Seoul. The rumor is current in Seoul that all wounded South Korean soldiers in the hospital were killed about 30 June.
9. On 7 July there were approximately 3500 troops in the Inchon area. On 6 July approximately 40,000 troops, 80 tanks, 50 Soviet trucks, 20 Jap trucks, 70 motorcycles were in the Suwon area.

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